

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

ESTATE OF EDWARD W. KNOTER,	:	
et al.,	:	CIVIL ACTION NO. 01-3168 (MLC)
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Plaintiffs,	:	ORDER ON DEFENDANT'S
v.	:	MOTIONS IN LIMINE
	:	
FORD MOTOR COMPANY,	:	
	:	
Defendant.	:	
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DEFENDANT, Ford Motor Company, filing several motions in
limine (dkt. entry nos. 218, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, and 229);
and

THE COURT HAVING CONSIDERED the papers submitted in support
of and in opposition to the motions; and the Court having heard
argument from the parties on December 21, 2009; and for the
reasons stated by the Court on the record; and for good cause
appearing;

IT IS THEREFORE on this 22nd day of December, 2009,
ORDERED as follows:

Defendant's motion to preclude evidence in support of plaintiffs' punitive damages claim (dkt. entry no. 218) is **DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**; and

Defendant's motion for a pretrial instruction to the jury prohibiting the use of electronic media (dkt. entry no. 224) is **GRANTED**; and

Defendant's motion to preclude reference to electromagnetic interference or other specific defect theory (dkt. entry no. 225) is **GRANTED**, with individual evidentiary rulings to be made separately; and

Defendant's motion to require the plaintiffs to provide edited videotapes of deposition testimony at least forty-eight hours in advance of their presentation (dkt. entry no. 226) is **GRANTED**; and

Defendant's motion to limit the testimony of William Berg to the parameters set in the first trial (dkt. entry no. 227) is **GRANTED**; and

Defendant's motion to reinstate the Court's prior rulings concerning the Updegrove investigation (dkt. entry no. 228) is **GRANTED**; and

Defendant's motion to limit evidence of other similar incidents (dkt. entry no. 229) is **GRANTED**.

s/ Mary L. Cooper

MARY L. COOPER
United States District Judge